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TAGS/EAID, EFIN

SUBJ: ADB POLICY ON CONSULTANTS

REF: BANGKOK 205

- 1. AGREE WITH POINT MADE PARA 4 REFTEL THAT COMPETITION BETWEEN BEST QUALIFIED ENGINEERING COMPANIES, BUT NOT NECESSARILY FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES, COULD RESULT IN BETTER END PRODUCT FOR RECIPIENT COUNTRY.
- 2. ALTHOUGH IT MAY APPEAR TO BE BANK POLICY TO INCLUDE ON SHORT LIST ONLY ONE CONSULTING FIRM FROM A COMPETING COUNTRY, BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS NOT APPROVED ANY SUCH POLICY. WHILE SHORT LISTS CONTAINING FIRMS FROM DIFFERENT GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS ARE RECOGNIZED AS GENERALLY DESIRABLE, THERE ARE NO FIXED RULES SET FOR SUCH GEOGRAPHICAL GROUPING AND DISTRIBUTION. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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3. U.S. DIRECTOR HAS ALREADY CALLED TO ATTENTION OF BANK MANAGEMENT GENERAL IMPRESSION HELD BY U.S. CONSULTANTS RE GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION. SULLIVAN

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